

## Working With You

Our **Business Representatives** work with businesses to identify specific needs and inform them of the many resources available such as training assistance, tax credits, and human resource assistance.

## The Human Touch

Unlike other websites, GreatHires.org has trained staff in the community, especially in those areas where the need is most critical. We offer personal assistance and a human interface with employment and training services.



[www.GreatHires.org](http://www.GreatHires.org)

1-888-728-JOBS



Help them.  
Help yourself.







The winds have died down and the waters have receded but the effects of Hurricanes Katrina and Rita still linger. There are approximately 13,000 Americans from the coastal region who have been assisted in Missouri and are looking for work. Missouri's Workforce System is proud to offer assistance during this time of need. You can help the cause by considering these skilled men and women for your open job positions. GreatHires.org is

# REACHING OUT TO HELP

## Two Great Resources

**GreatHires.org** and **Missouri Career Centers** are teaming up to provide the services needed to help those who have relocated to Missouri and are still searching for employment. We have taken the following steps to locate each of these employees, identify their skill sets, and inform them of the great opportunities in Missouri:

- Modified GreatHires.org to allow job seekers from areas affected by the hurricanes to identify themselves in the registration process
- Developed a new tool to allow businesses to easily search for qualified Katrina and Rita evacuees on GreatHires.org
- Teamed with businesses (such as Pfizer, Lafarge North American, Harley Davidson) in key labor markets to match skill levels of displaced applicants and identify human resource needs
- Partnered with assistance agencies and local community organizations to provide solutions to job seeker needs
- Organized job fairs across the state to bring employers and potential employees together
- Visited housing centers, passing out information and talking to these men and women about Missouri job opportunities

You will find a talented, qualified pool of workers when logging on to GreatHires.org.

## The GreatHires.org Online Matching

The GreatHires.org website is a quick, efficient way to match the right people to the right jobs. The Quick Search tool allows businesses to immediately search the new Missouri job seekers by job title, skills, or educational certification.

**New search tools and strategic partnerships make GreatHires.org the best resource for finding displaced workers who meet your needs.**

## Paper Trail

GreatHires.org can provide information on the rules for documentation and record-keeping that pertain to hiring displaced workers.

## Missouri Career Centers

Currently there are over 40 Career Center locations throughout the state, which can be used by employers at no cost. Use our facilities for hiring services such as worker screenings, interview rooms, job preparation classes, and referrals to available assistance.



## Trained To Help

Our **Certified Workforce Development Professionals** are trained to connect qualified job applicants to businesses who need them. They can also be mobilized to areas needing additional help.